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(Signed) JAMES K. CARLIN,  
Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day  
of March, 1917.  
U. G. HENDERSON,  
(Notary Public, Mercer County, Ohio.)

## EASTER SOCIAL

The Catholic ladies' sewing society  
will give an Easter social on Wed-  
nesday and Thursday afternoon and  
evening of April 11th and 12th, in  
the Catholic school hall.

They will conduct a parcel post sale  
of articles mailed to them, serve ice  
cream and other refreshments, sell  
all kinds of home made fancy needle  
work and plain sewing reasonable,  
have cake walks, fishing pond and  
other entertainments. No admission  
will be charged. Everybody is cordi-  
ally invited. Bring your friends  
for a good social time.

## THE COMMITTEE.

## MASS CONVENTION

Of Dry Democrats of Ohio to Be Held  
at Columbus, Ohio Thursday,  
April 12.

To the Democrats of Ohio:

A Mass Convention of all Dem-  
ocrats of Ohio who are in sym-  
pathy with the movement to  
make Ohio "Dry" is hereby called  
to meet at Columbus, Ohio,  
on April 12, 1917, at 10:00  
o'clock a. m., in the auditorium  
of the Columbus Chamber of  
Commerce.

The foregoing call is issued pur-  
suant to action taken by 150 or more  
Democrats from all sections of the  
state assembled at Columbus on Jan-  
uary 18, 1917. That meeting was  
addressed by Hon. William Jennings  
Bryan, who expressed his unqualified  
approval of such a convention and a  
strong personal desire that an active  
organization be formed by Democrats  
in Ohio to aid in the movement to  
vote Ohio dry on November 6, 1917.

Every Democrat willing to aid in  
making Ohio dry, is urged to attend  
this mass convention, the first of its  
kind to be called by voters in any of  
the leading political parties in Ohio.  
It will be an historical event and a  
fitting celebration of the anniversary  
of the birth of the founder of our  
party Thomas Jefferson, which occurs  
on April 13.

The convention will be addressed  
by Hon. William Jennings Bryan and  
other Democrats of national promi-  
nence, as well as leaders of state-  
wide prominence in our party.

## WELL KNOWN

Long Since to Well Informed People,  
But St. Marys Has Just  
Tumbled

(St. Marys Evening Leader)

Celina is progressive. We make  
this statement advisedly, for we have  
documentary evidence to prove the  
truthfulness of the same. Only yes-  
terday we chronicled the fact that  
the city council of Mercer county's  
seat of government enacted the pre-  
liminary legislation looking to the  
purchase of a motorized fire appa-  
ratus. Bonds in the sum of \$10,000  
will be issued for the purpose and the  
action of the municipal body was un-  
animously in the affirmative. That  
is progressiveness, indeed, and in  
truth, and we congratulate our sister  
city upon the manifestation of the  
spirit which makes municipalities  
grow and prosper.

To anyone who has ever had occasion,  
and taken the pains to study the  
operation of the motorized system, it  
is not surprising that town after  
town is falling in line and choosing  
the better way. It is not only the  
better way—it is the economical way  
of maintaining a fire department.  
When it comes to efficiency, the old  
horse drawn apparatus pales into in-  
significance by comparison. It is a  
notorious fact that the fire horses  
"eat their heads off," as the saying  
goes, and the expense of maintaining  
the old system is at least twice as  
great as that of maintaining the new  
system.

So, we must take off our hat to  
Celina again. We took it off in re-  
cognition of her having become the  
headquarters of aviation activities in  
this section of the country, and now,  
since she has determined to get out  
of the rut of old-foggyism with regard  
to a modern fire-fighting apparatus,  
we again tip our hat and say: Celina,  
we salute thee!

## OHIO INTERROGATION POINTS

The demand from colleges and  
high schools and the general public  
for copies of "Ohio Interrogation  
Points" the booklet prepared by J.  
V. Tamm, and issued by Auditor  
A. V. Donahy, has been so extensive  
and statewide that, in order to supply  
requests for copies, the state  
printing commission has found it nec-  
essary to publish a fourth edition.

This compilation of interesting  
and instructive information about  
Ohio history and government is an  
indispensable handbook for all Buck-  
eye citizens and should be used for  
supplementary work in history and  
civics in every school and college in  
the state.

It is astonishing how little the av-  
erage citizen knows about his own  
state. Instructors of our youth  
should always have in mind that they  
are training the future voters of  
Ohio and that a citizen who does not  
have a fairly comprehensive knowl-  
edge of the past history of the state  
and the important changes that have  
taken place in the constitution and  
laws of our great commonwealth is  
improperly qualified to exercise the  
right of suffrage.

Over ten thousand Ohio teachers  
have secured copies of "Ohio Inter-  
rogation Points." There are other  
thousands who should have this lit-  
tle pamphlet on their desks and use  
it in their school work.

Any resident of the state who de-  
sires a copy may secure same free  
by writing Auditor A. V. Donahy,  
Columbus, Ohio.

## COMMISSIONERS

Meeting on the hearing on the pe-  
tition for the widening of the But-  
ler township, the Board found same  
necessary, and the route described to  
be the best, after a view of the line  
and granted the ditch as petitioned  
for, and approximately 100 feet up  
stream and down stream until a good  
outlet is secured.

April 6 at 9 a. m. was fixed as the  
time for approval of engineer's re-  
port and other matters pertaining to  
the improvement.

After a view of the Gerdes road  
improvement, in Butler township the  
Board last Friday determined that  
the public convenience, and welfare  
did not require the improvement and  
therefore dismissed the petition. The  
route of the proposed improvement  
was as follows: Commencing at the  
southeast corner of Section 20, But-  
ler township, at what is known as the  
Koester pike; thence west on the sec-  
tion line between Sections 20 and 29,  
19 and 30, to the township line and  
thence terminate.

Meeting last Friday for hearing ob-  
jections and claims in the matter of  
road improvements, and having none  
presented the Board granted the fol-  
lowing improvements:

Baltzell road in Union township.  
Christ Wietzel road in Gibson  
township.

Albers road in Marion township.

Crans Pond road in Liberty town-  
ship.

On request of L. E. Fox, contract-  
or on the Hattery ditch, in Union  
township, the Board granted an ex-  
tension of time for completion of the  
same from April 1 to June 1.

A number of bridge contracts were  
awarded last Friday. All bids were  
projected on the Krmer bridge work  
because the bridge can be made to  
stand, and on the Fisher bridge, because  
all bids were above estimate.

The following contracts were  
awarded:

Woeste bridge to J. H. Gels at his  
bid of \$194.00.

Lewis bridge to N. A. York at his  
bid of \$248.00.

Wesed bridge to J. H. Gels at his  
bid of \$223.00.

Moss bridge to N. A. York at his  
bid of \$285.00.

Mosler bridge to N. A. York at his  
bid of \$442.

Klingshirn bridge to J. H. Gels at  
his bid of \$242.

Stahl bridge to J. H. Gels at his  
bid of \$249.

Bethel bridge to J. H. Gels at his  
bid of \$217.

Herron bridge to J. H. Gels at his  
bid of \$48.

Homer bridge to J. H. Gels at his  
bid of \$716.

Overholt bridge to Harry L. Hight  
at his bid of \$88.

Halt about to Gus F. Schmidt  
his bid of \$281, to commence June  
1, 1917.

Hicks-nell about to Harry L.  
Hight at his bid of \$637.

Harry L. Hight presented his con-  
tract and bond in the sum of \$1600,  
conditioned to furnish all labor and  
material and construct according to  
specifications the Overholt and Hicks-  
nell bridges, which bond was ap-  
proved and endorsed filed.

The following bills were allowed  
last Friday and are now payable:

E. W. Price & Co., book for  
surveyor, 3 25

Columbus Blank Book Com-  
pany, supplies for surveyor 1 00

Lawrence Schunk, stamped  
envelopes for auditor, 43 20

E. W. Price & Co., overhau-  
ling typewriter, 7 50

E. H. Sell & Co., supplies for  
auditor, 50

P. A. Ellis, humane officer, 25 00

Like Stoker, hauling rubbish, 1 25

Columbus Blank Book Co.,  
supplies for janitor, 4 50

Celina Relief Corps, soldiers'  
portion of room rent, 35 00

G. N. Kinnison, sewer labor, 15 00

August Lengerich, bridge re-  
pair, 15 50

A. C. F. Gibe, notice of  
bridge sale, 7 47

Joseph Berke, bridge repair, 6 69

G. A. Kenter, bridge lumber, 1 83

William Krogman, bridge re-  
pair, 5 25

Like Repairs

Charles Lutz, pike superinten-  
dent, 39 59

Charles Weaver, same, 56 75

W. H. Weaver, same, 34 00

G. W. Fisher, same, 18 75

G. M. Krogman, same, 31 87

Will Fisher, same, 20 59

## BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at  
the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the sub-  
stitute for calomel, act gently on the  
bowels and positively do the work.  
People afflicted with bad breath find  
quick relief through Dr. Edwards'  
Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-  
coated tablets are taken for bad breath  
by all who know them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gen-  
tly but firmly on the bowels and liver,  
stimulating them to natural action,  
clearing the blood and gently purifying  
the entire system. They do that which  
dangerous calomel does without any of  
the bad after effects.

All the benefits of nasty, sickening,  
gripping cathartics are derived from Dr.  
Edwards' Olive Tablets without griping,  
pain or any disagreeable effects.

Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the  
formula after seventeen years of prac-  
tice among patients afflicted with bow-  
el and liver complaint with the attendant  
bad breath.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are pure-  
ly a vegetable compound mixed with  
olive oil; you will know them by their  
olive color. Take one or two every  
night for a week and note the effect.  
10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

LADIES'  
STYLISH SUITS AND COATS

At LESS Than Half of Regular Prices

If you need a Spring Coat or Suit, we will show you a saving of from

\$5.00 TO \$10.00

Ours is a different system of buying and a different system of  
selling. Large selections of Wool Poplins, Serges, Twills, Novelty  
Suitings, Gaberdines; Velours in Green, Chinese Blue, Navy, Sand  
Black, Gold, Apple Green—all of the latest patterns and styles, at  
just 1-3 to 1-2 less than you can buy anywhere else.

\$20.00 Ladies' Suits or Coats at \$12.98.

\$15.00 Ladies' Suits or Coats at \$9.98.

\$12.00 Ladies' Coats or Suits, \$8.98.

\$10.00 Ladies' Coats or Suits, \$7.98.

Great savings to you in Staple Dry Goods and Shoes for the  
next 10 days.

\$1.00 fancy Crepe Aprons with Cap.	75c	\$1.50 Kimonos	\$1.00
\$1.00 Children's Gingham Dresses	69c	\$2.50 Kimonos	\$2.00
\$1.00 Men's Jersey Sweaters	69c	\$1.00 Silk Gloves	75c
75c Men's Chambray Shirts	59c	75c Silk Gloves	69c
\$1.00 Men's Dress Shirts	69c	15c Dress Gingham	10c
\$1.00 Men's Porous Knit Undersuit	69c	18c Dress Gingham	14c
85c Middy Blouses	69c	18c Percales	15c
85c Boys' Wool Pants	69c	75c Boys' Felt Hats	39c
75c Boys' Wash Suits	50c	75c Boys' Caps	50c
\$1.25 Boys' Wash Suits	\$1.00	75c Men's Caps	60c
\$5.00 Rain Coats	\$3.50	\$3.00 White High Top Lace Shoes	\$1.98
\$4.00 Rain Coats	\$2.98	\$2.00 White Pumps	\$1.50
\$2.50 Rain Coats at	\$1.50	\$2.00 Two-Strap Sandals	\$1.50
75c Gingham Petticoats	49c	\$5.00 Patent Mary Jane Pumps	\$2.50
50c Muslin Drawers	29c	\$4.50 High Top Patent Lace Shoes	\$3.98
73c Muslin Nightgowns	49c	\$4.00 Patent Sandals	\$3.00
\$1.00 Sateen Petticoats	69c	\$3.50 Ladies' Gun Metal Shoes	\$2.50
\$1.50 Sateen Petticoats	\$1.19	\$2.50 Ladies' Julietts	\$1.98
		\$1.50 Children's fine Shoes	\$1.00

Come SATURDAY, April 7, and the following all week for bar-  
gains in Ladies' Coats, Suits, staple and fancy Dry Goods and Shoes

H. GUMM, CELINA, O.

## Leaf from Traveler's Note Book -- No. 4

Do one's observations of the com-  
munity center church show any bet-  
ter care of the young life of the com-  
munity than under the leadership of  
a half dozen sect-centered churches?  
Yes. This condition is one of the  
first things to strike the attention in  
a community where there is no over-  
lapping of rural church fields and  
where the people are accustomed to  
worship together. Under the divisive  
lead of over crowded fields the re-  
creational life of the community  
amounts to little or nothing. Young  
people either endure the stale social  
life or go to the towns for social at-  
tractions which is not always best for  
them, and is frequently the means of  
drawing them permanently away  
from the farm. It is as much the  
duty and for the welfare of the farm-  
ing community, to furnish a whole-  
some and healthful recreation for its  
young life as to build bridges and to  
pike roads. A recreational need is  
not the fancy of some fool dreamer  
but something that comes in the un-  
folding of every normal life. Many a  
boy has gone to the devil because his  
father took no interest in his play  
and let him choose his own amuse-  
ments that ruined him. Many a girl  
has lost her virtue because her moth-  
er was too busy and too indifferent

## COX'S VETO

(Continued from First Page)

was vetoed because the state audi-  
tor complained it would increase  
clerical work and delay settlements  
with interior divisions of the county.  
The bill by Smith of Cleveland fixing  
specifications for plastering was  
vetoed because it provided for state of-  
ficials assuming duties that would be  
impracticable.

The bill by Myers of Cleveland to  
increase the pay of jurors was vetoed  
because it would tend to develop pro-  
fessional jurors. The Potter bill was  
scrapped because it fixed such rigorous  
inspection of horses imported into the  
state that it would be unworkable  
and would interfere with shipments  
through the state.

The bill by Howell Wright of  
Cleveland to lower the educational  
requirements for nurses was vetoed  
because it was deemed unwise to lower  
requirements when they are already  
below those in many other  
states and because the relief sought  
could be secured from a rational ad-  
ministration of the law as it stands.  
This ends one of the hottest fights of  
the assembly between the small  
country hospitals, the trained nurses  
and the physicians in the legislature.

The "fall crew" railway train bill,  
by Horn of Wayne county, was  
vetoed because of a blunder that  
reversed the meaning of the law. In  
some way the word "not" had been  
inserted so that it made the bill nega-  
tive.

The county library bill by Marker  
of Van Wert was vetoed because it  
sought to give community vote direct  
connection with funds in the state  
treasury and was held to be the  
wrong way to get the advantage sought.

Of the bills that were permitted to  
go by unchallenged ten provided mu-  
nicipal courts or added additional  
common pleas judges in counties.  
The most important one to go  
through unchallenged was the Kim-

ball mortgage exemption bill. It pro-  
vides that real estate mortgages are  
exempted from taxes during their life  
if they pay one-half of 1 per cent  
tax when filed. It is a copy of the  
New York real estate mortgage law  
and is said to have brought in large  
returns in taxes there. It was bit-  
terly fought by certain loan interests.

Other bills of importance that be-  
came laws without the governor's sig-  
nature include the bill by Fleming of  
Cleveland that wipes out speculation  
in delinquent tax sales and gives the  
state the first lien on the property  
for taxes, and the Fleming bill that  
makes it possible in common pleas  
court to have service of writs and  
summons by mail if the court grants  
the request of the plaintiff. Fleming  
also got through his bill legalizing the  
fire insurance rate-making bu-  
reaus.

Three items were vetoed and  
stricken from the bill appropriation  
bill by Cox. One was for \$520 for  
payment of claims to the "Squirrel  
hunters," the citizen soldier who  
were called out to protect Cincinnati  
at the time of the Morgan raid;  
\$120,000 was cut out of the funds  
given the Bowling Green normal  
school because the attendance does  
not warrant the proposed new build-  
ing, and \$150,000 was stricken from  
the Ohio State University items be-  
cause a bill for the new building for  
women carried its own appropriation  
of that sum.

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restore healthy conditions with a  
dose or two—in time—of

BEECHAM'S  
PILLSLargest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.  
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

## FORMER

Celina People in the Lime-Light, As  
Result of Proceedings For  
Divorce.

A dispatch from Marion Ohio, says  
"Mrs. Mary Kirscher, 40 years old,  
Rex theatre owner, yesterday was  
made defendant in a suit for \$2,500  
filed by Theresa Stark, of Lima, O.,  
who charges Mrs. Kirscher stole the  
affections of her husband, John Stark  
when he was employed by her in a  
theatre at Decatur, Ind. Mrs. Stark  
alleges her husband followed Mrs.  
Kirscher from Decatur to Winchester,  
Ind., Celina, Ohio, and then to Mar-  
ion. The Starks formerly resided at  
Muncie, Ind.

Mrs. Kirscher and Mr. Stark con-  
ducted the Rex theatre here for sev-  
eral years, selling out a year or two  
ago to Mr. Bull the present owner.

Mr. and Mrs. Stark were former  
residents of this city, as was Mrs.  
Kirscher. While here the Starks  
conducted the Eureka restaurant and  
the Bijou motion picture theatre, on  
South Main street, opposite the Dem-  
ocrat office.

Celina Lad Embarks in Business  
in Hoosier Town

Announcement was made this morn-  
ing of a deal whereby Edward Mc-  
Kinnon purchased a half interest in  
the Len Solinger clothing store. Mr.  
McKinnon will take charge of the  
store as manager, next week and the  
institution will be operated under the  
firm name of Solinger & McKinnon.  
In making the transaction public the  
members of the new firm stated that  
the business with the intention of  
ultimately acquiring the whole store.

Bluffton, Ind., Daily News.

Mr. McKinnon is a well known Cel-  
ina boy, better known here as "Red",  
and his many Celina friends will be  
pleased to hear of his new business  
venture, and wish him success.

## PERSONAL

Mrs. Ed Eryson is home from a  
month's visit with relatives at To-  
ledo.

Miss Margaret Linn is the guest  
of her brother, William, at Lancaster,  
this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Zay are home  
from their winter sojourn at Palm  
Beach, Fla.

Miss Julia Maggerty was called to  
Toledo last Saturday by the death of  
a cousin, Mrs. Fred Seidell.

Miss Louise Wenning was at Con-  
nersville, Ind., last Monday attend-  
ing the funeral of a friend.

Mrs. LeRoy Smith and children,  
of Detroit, Mich., are here for a vi-  
sit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.  
S. Phittley.

Frank A. Petrie, who for the past  
nine months has been employed at  
Tulsa, Oklahoma, is here for a visit  
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo.  
A. Petrie.

Commissioner elect George Hill  
and C. D. Jewell, of Rockford, made  
the Democrat a brief call while in  
town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Liewer, East  
Fayette street, are home from a sev-  
eral weeks visit with their daughter,  
Mrs. O. E. Fisher, at Lake City, Fla.

Mrs. William Swartz, of Pleasant  
Hill, here to attend the funeral of  
Mrs. Isaac Hainline, in Center town-  
ship, is visiting relatives in this city  
and county.

Mrs. Albert Meyers, of Covington,  
visited relatives in this city this  
week while here to attend the fun-  
eral of Mrs. Isaac Hainline, in Cen-  
ter township.

Rev. Frank Hartman, who recently  
resigned the pastorate of the Evan-  
gelical church in this city, left last  
Monday for his new home at Wausau-  
aukee, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Ralph Emerson and daughter,  
Clara, Ed Dennis and Lyman Hess of  
Eastoria, were last Sunday guests of  
Mrs. Herman Pulskamp and family,  
East Fayette street.

Mrs. Geo. Nungesser Jr., left the  
first of the week for Akron, where  
her husband is in the employ of a  
rubber company. They will make  
that city their future home.

Mrs. Henry Johnson and daughters  
of Baltimore, Maryland, returned  
home Sunday after a visit with Sher-  
iff and Mrs. William Pumphrey. Mrs.  
Johnson's son, Mayo and wife, ac-  
companied them as far as Lima.

Miss Grace Behringer, for several  
years past one of the efficient clerks  
in the Kentzsch dry goods store, re-  
signed her position last Saturday and  
on Monday left with her father, Aug-  
ust E. Behringer, for Harvard, Ill.  
They are both interested with a son  
and brother, Rueben, in the hardware  
business.

Miss Lucile Grothman, who for sev-  
eral years past has been book keeper  
at the W. F. Schunck harness store,  
has resigned her place to accept a  
position as stenographer in the of-  
fices of Wm. Primavesi and L. M. Mur-  
lin. Mr. Primavesi has fitted up of-  
fice rooms for his insurance business  
adjoining the offices of Real Estate  
Broker L. M. Murlin, in the Union  
Block.

## A RAW, SORE THROAT

Eases Quickly When You Apply  
a Little Musterole

And Musterole won't blister like the  
old-fashioned mustard plaster. Just  
spread it on with your fingers. It pene-  
trates to the sore spot with a gentle  
tingle, loosens the congestion and draws  
out the soreness and pain.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment  
made with oil of mustard. It is fine for  
quick relief for sore throat, bronchitis,  
tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neu-  
ralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy,  
rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of  
the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles,  
bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet, colds on  
the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).  
Nothing like Mustero